

BLA SHIELD CHECK LIST (as of 14 Jul 67)

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H-M	25X1A ACTION	DOI	RESP INDV	TIME DUE(Z)	TIME DUE(L)	TIME DONE(L)	DONE BY (Initials)
-10:00	Send [REDACTED] (Terminal wx fcsts)	B-5	CAPT M	18/600	19/0100	18/2330	[Signature]
-9:00	Rev [REDACTED] GO-NO GO wx fcsts)	B-11	"	1700	0200	19/0175	[Signature]
-9:00	Give [REDACTED] input to Msn Coord	B-23	"	1700	0200	18/1900	[Signature]
-8:00	Send [REDACTED] (thru L-hr, if reqd)	B-16	CAPT M & MAJ B	1800	0300		
25X1A	Annotate tanker DD Forms 175	B-24	LT Y	2030	0530	0500	[Signature]
25X1A	Brief tankers [REDACTED] (wx scout)	B-24	LT Y	2050	0550	0550	JY
-4:00	Send [REDACTED] (Terminal wx fcsts)	B-5	LT Y	2200	0700	0650	JY
25X1A	-4:00 Send [REDACTED] (Met Watch obs)	B-18	HEAD	2200	0700	0650	JY
25X1A	Brief tankers (1st CELL [REDACTED])	B-24	LT Y	2120	0620	0620	JY
-3:30	Brief pilots and ops staff	B-20	MAJ B	2230	0730	0730	[Signature]
25X1A	Brief tankers (2nd CELL [REDACTED])	B-24	LT Y	2240	0740	0735	JY
-3:00	Rev [REDACTED] Amend (GO/NO GO fcsts)	B-11	MAJ B	2300	0800	0719	JY
-3:00	Rev Letdown Plates from DCO	B-14	"	2300	0800	0810	[Signature]
25X1A	-3:00 Enter fcsts on Letdown Plates	B-14	MAJ B & LT Y	2300	0800	0820	[Signature]
25X1A	-2:30 Msn Obsvr to CP; posts data	B-13	[REDACTED]	0030	0930	0925	[Signature]
-2:00	Rev [REDACTED] (Wx Scout reports)	B-22	MAJ B	19/0000	0900	0820	[Signature]
25X1A	Pick up APT pictures	B-10	LT Y	0000 OF ASAP	0900 OF ASAP	1000	JY
-1:40	Msn Fcstr to CP; Obsvr to wx str	B-13	MAJ B	0020	1020	1040	[Signature]
-1:35	Letdown plate fcsts to pilots (Notify Mission Coordinator)	B-14	MAJ B	0025	0925	0945	[Signature]
-1:30	Notify DCO (If need to rebrief pilots)	B-20	"	0030	1030	—	
-1:10	Rebrief pilots if necessary	B-20	"	0050	1050	—	
25X1A	L-Plus Landing time: 19/0754Z 1654 L						
+0:15	Return Met Watch to wx station	B-13	[REDACTED]	0809	1709	1650	[Signature]
+0:15	Start debriefing form	B-15	MAJ B	0809	1709	1700	[Signature]
25X1A	+0:45 Attend pilot debriefing	B-15	"	0839	1739	1740	[Signature]
ASAP	Give [REDACTED] input to DCOM Coord after debriefing	B-15	"	ASAP	ASAP	1815	[Signature]
+24:00	Turn in Msn Wx File to Intell	B-17	"	20/0754	20/1654		

**BLACK SHIELD CHECK LIST**  
(As of 14 Jul 67; with tankers)

Code Name <u>BLACK SHIELD</u> Mission Nr <u>6709</u> Date <u>19 Jul 67</u> H-hour <u>0200Z 1100 L</u>							
Msn Pilot	[REDACTED]	A Fcst	[REDACTED]	Duty Hours	<u>18/10-1800L; 19/06-1800L</u>		
Spare Pilot	[REDACTED]	B Fcst	[REDACTED]	Duty Hours	<u>18/1800L-19/0300L</u>		
Chase Pilot	[REDACTED]	C Fcst	[REDACTED]	Duty Hours	<u>19/03-1300L</u>		
Msn Coord	[REDACTED]	A Obsv	[REDACTED]	Duty Hours	<u>18/10-1800L; 19/07-1700L</u>		
Msn DCOM	[REDACTED]	B Obsv	[REDACTED]	Duty Hours	<u>18/1800L-19/0300L</u>		
Msn TTFC	[REDACTED]	C Obsv	[REDACTED]	Duty Hours	<u>19/03-1100L</u>		

  

H-Minus	ACTION	DOI	RESP INDV	TIME DUE(Z)	TIME DUE(L)	TIME DONE(L)	DONE BY (Initials)
-24:00	Start this check list	B-3	MAJB	0200	1100	0800	DeB
-24:00	Arrange work schedule	B-4	"	0200	1200	0900	DeB
-23:30	Attend Commander's Briefing	B-1	"	0230	1130	1130	DeB
-23:00	Rev [REDACTED] (Prelim Ops Data)	B-1	"	0300	1200	0735	DeB
-22:30	Coordinate TTFC support	B-2	"	0330	1230	1145	DeB
	Give prelim data to TTFC	B-2	"	0300 0400	1200 1300	1200 1300	DeB DeB
-21:00	Rev [REDACTED] (Tmnl fcsts)	B-5	"	0500	1400	1316	DeB
-21:00	Start Met Watch on wall map	B-21	"	0500	1400	1400	DeB
-21:00	Rev [REDACTED] Mission wx data)	B-6	"	0500	1400	1316	DeB
	Pick up APT pictures	B-10	LY	0145 0530	1045 1430	1100	JY
	Rev [REDACTED] (Composite rte data)	B-6	MAJB	Vrbl	Vrbl	1635	DeB
-17:30	Rev [REDACTED] Amend (Mission wx)	B-6	"	0830	1730	1633	DeB
-17:15	Rev [REDACTED] (Tmnl fcsts)	B-5	"	0845	1745	1650	DeB
-17:00	Brief pilot and ops staff	B-7	"	0900	1800	1800	DeB
-14:00	Rev letdown plates from DCOM	B-14	CAPT M	0200	2100	1400	DeB
-14:00	Rev [REDACTED] (Tanker msn wx fcst)	B-9	"	1200	2100	1945	DeB
	Letdown plates to DCO	B-14	"	1300	2200	1935	DeB
	Rev [REDACTED] (Final Ops data)	B-8	"	1330	2230	2140	DeB

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ACTION: IMMEDIATE

INFO: IMMEDIATE

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INFO: WECEN

OXCAR/BLACK SHIELD/WX/OPS

25X1A

A. BX 6709

B. 18/2100Z JUL 67

C. RODN: PRTLY, OBSCD 7 SCTD 18 BRKN

37 OVC 6 HAZE SW 06G 12 KTS

ROAH: 15 SCTD 50 BRKN 320 OVC 15  
W 04 KTS

RCGM: 25 SCTD HI SCTD 7 SW 04 KTS

VTBI: CLR 7 CALM

VTBU: 140 SCTD HI SCTD 12 WNW 02 KTS

RPMK: 10 SCTD 30 SCTD VRBL BRKN  
HI TAN BRKN 10 CALM

END OF MESSAGE

COORD: \_\_\_\_\_

25X1A

18/2150Z  
DATE/TIME

ACTION: IMMEDIATE

25X1A

FROM: [REDACTED]

25X1A TO [REDACTED] WECEN

OXOART/BLACK SHIELD/NX/OPS

25X1A

A. BX 6709

B. ALL FORECASTS VALID 19/0200Z TO 0800Z

C. RODN: NO SIG CHG

ROAH: NO SIG CHG

RPMK: NO SIG CHG

VTBI: NO SIG CHG

~~RCGM~~: NO SIG CHG

VTBU: NO SIG CHG

END OF MESSAGE . COORD: [REDACTED]

25X1A

18/2150Z

DATE/TIME

18 JUL 67 16 16z

TOP SECRET 181553Z CITE WECEN 2819

IMMEDIATE

25X1A

21436

25X1A

A. BX6709

B. 19/0310Z TO 19/0611Z JULY 67

C. CAT TWO PTCHY THREE IN CU, AC, CI EAST OF 22504 22302 22101 219/01.5 218/03.5 218/05.5. CAT TWO IN CU, CI NORTH EAST OF 22507 222.5/04.7 221/04.3 220/04.5 21905 218/05.5 216/07.5 21608 218/10.5 22012 22214 22120 21625 22530. CAT THREE IN CU, CI NORTH OF 21608 21610 22014 22118 22019 21720 21525 21630. RMDR CAT FOUR AND FIVE.

D. RODN TO 20.5N CAT TWO, TO 19.5N CAT THREE, TO 15N CAT FOUR, AS CODED IN PARA C, RETURN FROM 18N TO 19N CAT FOUR, TO 20N CAT THREE, TO RODN CAT TWO. 25X1A

E. [REDACTED] - SAME AS [REDACTED] WECEN 2813) 25X1A

25X1A [REDACTED] - 4/8 CI 320/360 7 MI 090/20 M31, NIL, 370/650 ✓

25X1A F. NOTE CHG OF [REDACTED] DO NOT EXPECT AS MUCH CI AS INDICATED IN EARLIER MSG. THERE IS HEAVY CI TO THE SOUTH AND EAST OF A/R.

24 HR OUTLOOK IS FOR SIMILAR CONDITIONS.

TOP SECRET

BT

RCVD  
18/1625Z, 19/0125Z  
JLB  
[Signature]

WECEN

2819

181434Z ZFF-4  
BT  
XXXXX  
OPCEN 570 WECEN 122

25X1A

25X1A

TOP SECRET 181431Z CITE [REDACTED]  
IMMEDIATE [REDACTED]

25X1A OXCART/BLACKSHIELD/WX/OPS  
[REDACTED]

A. BX6709  
B. ALL TERMINALS VALID 19/0200Z TO 0701Z  
RODN: 12 SCTD 70 BRKN 350 BRKN 10  
020/0801Z INTER 0400Z TO 0300Z  
10 BRKN 2 TRW 040/12020 FZL 170.  
ROAH: 15 SCTD VRBL BRKN 90 BRKN 300 OVC 10  
020/10020 INTER 0300Z TO 0800Z  
12 BRKN 3 RW 040/10020 FZL 170.  
CB VCNTY AFTER 0400Z.  
RPMK: NO SIG CHG.  
VTBI, RCGM, VTBU: NO SIG CHG.  
TOP SECRET  
BT

✓ 18/1530Z, 19/0030Z  
OK  
[Signature] DAB

NNNN

ACTION: IMMEDIATE

25X1A

FROM: [REDACTED]

25X1A

TO: [REDACTED] WECEN

25X1A OXCART/BLACK SHIELD/WX/OPS

(C)

A. BX 6709

B. ALL TERMINALS VALID 19/0200Z TO 0701Z

RODN: 12 SCTD 70 BRKN 350 BRKN 10 ~~10~~

020/08G12 INTER 0400Z TO 0800Z

10 BRKN 2TRW 040/12G20 FZL170.

ROAH: 15 SCTD VRBL BRKN 90 BRKN 3000VC10

020/10G20 INTER 0300Z TO 0800Z

12 BRKN 3RW 040/10G20 FZL170

CB VCNTY AFTER 0400Z.

RPMK: NO SIG CHG.

VTBI, RCGM, VTBU: NO SIG CHG.

END OF MESSAGE

COPIED: [REDACTED]

25X1A

18/2330  
DATE/TIME

19



WUWZC647

696/181223Z ZFF1

BT

XXXXX 25X1A

WECEN 620 [REDACTED]

25X1A

T O P S E C R E T 181220Z CITE [REDACTED]

21431

IMMEDIATE WECEN, [REDACTED]

25X1A

25X1A

A. BX6709

B. 19/0310Z TO 0611Z JULY 67

25X1A

C. THRU F. NO CHANGE FROM [REDACTED] (MODIFIED CANNED RTE 9)

25X1A

G. WECEN: [REDACTED] IMMEDIATE [REDACTED] NLT 18/1600Z; [REDACTED]

AMND IMMEDIATE [REDACTED] NLT 18/2200Z.

25X1A

H. CONTINUE ALERTS UFN. POSSIBLE BACK TO BACK MISSION GENERATION IF

WEATHER HOLDS AS INDICATED BY YOUR [REDACTED] AMND. NOTE-PLEASE

25X1A

INCLUDE ENTIRE CAT DEPICTION AS PER PARA D [REDACTED]

T O P S E C R E T

BT

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RLVD 2140T  
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25X1A

25X1D

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OPCEN 217

25X1A

21427

T O P S E C R E T 180730Z CITE WECEN 2812

IMMEDIATE

25X1A

25X1A

A. BX6709

B. ALL TRMNL VLD 19/0200Z - 0701Z

RODN/ROAH: VO SIG CHG.

CU 30/70 4/8 CI 300/310 10MI 170/08 FZL 150.

2/8 CU 25/50 5/8 AC 100/140 6/8 CI 300/350 7MI

2/8 CU 30/60 2/8 CI 300/320 7MI 300/12 FZL 160.

3 25/50 5/8 AC 140/160 7/8 CI 300/400 10MI VAR08

FZL 150 RW IN VCTNY AFTER 0400Z.

T O P S E C R E T

BT

18 JUL 67 07 44Z

*DeB*  
*10/1649 I gh*

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NNNNZZCZC634FTX160 25X1A

/180722Z ZFF-3 ZPO [REDACTED]

BT

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[REDACTED] OPCEN 216

25X1A

T O P S E C R E T 180720Z CITE WECEN 2811

21426

[REDACTED] 25X1A

- A. BX6709
  - B. 19/0310Z TO 0611Z JULY 67
  - C. NO SIG
  - D. A/R FORECASTS. NO SIG CHG
  - E. NO SIG CHG, EXCEPT 500MB FLOW BCMG SLIGHTLY MORE MOIST.
- GOOD CONDITIONS OVER NVN SHUD PERSIST THRU 20 JULY WITH  
DETERIORATION OCCURRING THEREAFTER.

T O P S E C R E T

BT

18 JUL 67 07 26Z

18/0733Z  
W.B.

25X1A

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10 JUL 67 01 55Z

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DOS/895

FM AFSSO 313ADIV

TO DEY 4 313ADIV

O 180456Z

BT

25X1A

T O P S E C R E T BBBBB BLACK SHIEL [REDACTED] ANNELS 313DOS N005

JULY 67. 25X1A

THIS IS A [REDACTED] MESSAGE.

A. MISSION BX6709.

B. 5AF WEATHER SCOUT SUPPORT N/A

C. 13AF ADVISES WEATHER SCOUT W/ TACTICAL CALL SIGN: [REDACTED]

25X1A

FOR BOTH PRIMARY & SECONDARY.

(PRIMARY WX SCOUT W/ CALL SIGN [REDACTED])

25X1A

(SPARE WX SCOUT W/ CALL SIGN: [REDACTED])

D. 13AF CONFIRMS WX SCOUT SUPPORT.

BT

18/0500Z  
DeB

NNNNZCZC627FTX155 25X1A

/180400Z ZFF-3 ZPO [REDACTED]

BT

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[REDACTED] OPCEN 215

21424

25X1A

18 JUL 67 04 10z

T O P S E C R E T 180358Z CITE WECEN 2809

IMMEDIATE [REDACTED] INFO IMMEDIATE [REDACTED] 25X1A

[REDACTED] 25X1A

A. BX6709

B. 19/0310Z TO 0611Z JULY 67

C. CAT THREE IN CU, AC, AND CI NORTH EAST OF 22504

22302 22101 21901 21802 21705 21805 219.5/04 21905 21806.

CAT TWO IN CU AND CI NORTH EAST OF 22506 22305 <sup>22.5</sup> 217.5/04.5

22105 21806 216.5/07.5 21808 21910

D. A/R FORECASTS:

25X1A [REDACTED] CI 300/320 10MI 090/30 M31 NIL 380/640

[REDACTED] 7/8 CI 300/380 3MI 090/20 M31 NIL 330/650

E. THE STATIONARY RIDGE IS DOMINATE AT ALL LEVELS AND EXTENDS  
ITSELF ACROSS SOUTHERN CHINA AND INDOCHINA. NO SIG MOISTURE  
IS EXPECTED IN THE AREA OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT THE PERIOD AND  
CLOUD CONDITIONS WILL REMAIN EXTREMELY GOOD.

T O P S E C R E T

BT

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WFOPTBSUM

SZCZC625FTX153

/180347Z ZFF-3 ZPO

25X1A

BT

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OPCEN 214 25X1A

18 JUL 67 03 56z

T O P S E C R E T 180346Z CITE WECEN 2808

IMMEDIATE

25X1A

21423

25X1A

A. BX6709

B. ALL TERMINALS VALID 19/0200Z TO 0701Z

2/8 CU 15/80 5/8 CI 300/320 10 MI 270/10 FZL 170

25/50 2/8 AC 120/140 5/8 CI 300/310 10 MI VAR 5 FZL

25X1A

3/8 CU 25/50 5/8 AC 170/140 6/8 CI 300/350 7 MI

8 CU 20/60 2/8 CI 300/320 7 MI 270/05 FZL 160

CU 20/50 5/8 120/160 8/8 CI 300/340 10 MI 210/10 RW

IN VCNTY ENTIRE PERIOD. FZL 150

T O P S E I N R E T

BT

COMDR	
DCO	
M/O	

18/13/6 Id  
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NNNNPR153FTA323

596/172123Z ZFF1

BT

XXXXX 25X1A

WECEN 618 [REDACTED] 96

25X1A

T O P S E C R E T 172113Z CIT [REDACTED] 3

IMMEDIATE WECEN, [REDACTED] 25X1A

[REDACTED] 25X1A

A. BX6709

17 JUL 67 22 21z

B. 19/0310Z TO 0611Z JULY 67

C. [REDACTED] 19/0200Z TO 0701Z 25X1A

D. WITHIN [REDACTED] MANY TGTS. 25X1A

E. CANNED RTE NBR 9. SECOND PASS TO BE SHIFTED 10 MILES SOUTH OF  
PRESENT POSITION. A/R'S - [REDACTED] ARCP 19/0222Z; [REDACTED] 25X1A  
ARCP 19/0405Z AND 0525Z. 25X1A

F. TANKER ROUTES: SEE [REDACTED] 513. ETD'S APPROX. 25X1A

25X1A

KADENA [REDACTED] KADENA (ETD 19/0047Z); KADENA [REDACTED] KADENA/

[REDACTED] ETD 18/2311Z AND 19/0031Z). 25X1A

G. TRMLS FOR [REDACTED] (FROM WECEN): [REDACTED]

VLD ENTIRE PRD. 25X1A

25X1A

T O P S E C R E T

BT

25X1A

17 JUL 67 19 23z

TOP SECRET 171833Z CITE WECEN 2804

25X1A

A. 19/0000Z TO 0600Z JULY 67

21376

B. SEE FAX CHART.

C. A/R FORECASTS:

25X1A [REDACTED] CI 300/320 10 MI 080/30M31 NIL 380/640  
[REDACTED] CI 250/310 7MI 080/20M31 NIL 380/650  
[REDACTED] SAME AS [REDACTED] 25X1A  
4/8 CI 250/310 7MI 040/10 M32 NIL EXCEPT CB VCNTY  
380/650

[REDACTED] 4/8 CI 270/320 6MI 070/10 M32 NIL EXCEPT CB VCNTY  
370/650 25X1A

25X1A TERMINALS:

[REDACTED] SAME AS KADENA

25X1A KADENA: 3/8 CU 15/50 5/8 CI 300/320 10MI 260/10 FL 170  
[REDACTED] 2/8 CU 30/50 2/8 AC 100/140 4/8 CI 250/300 7 MI 200/05  
FL 150 25X1A

[REDACTED] 2/8 ST 06/10 2/8 SC 30/50 4/8 AC 60/150 8/8 CI 250/310  
60/10 FL 150  
[REDACTED]: 2/8 CU 20/60 7MI 260/05 FL 160

D. 2850 MB RIDGE REMAINS SEMI STATIONARY OVER CENTRAL CHINA EXTENDING  
NG DOZ

OVER N. VIETNAM. MOISTURE INFLUX SEEMS TO BE CUT OFF WITH  
PERSISTENCE OF RIDGE. CHINA EXPECTED TO HOLD EXTREMELY GOOD AT  
LEAST 48 HRS AFTER THIS ALERT.  
MARGINAL CONDITIONS OVER N. VIETNAM WILL REMAIN.

E. CAT TWO IN CU, CI EAST OF 22308 221/07.5 22305 222/04.5 22005  
218/05.8 216/07.7 215.5/09 217/10.5 219/08.2 22011 22215. CAT  
THREE IN CU, CI EAST OF 22605 222/03.5 22004 21805 216/06.7 215/  
07.8 213.5/10 21812 22014 22120 22325. RMDR CAT FOUR.

TOP SECRET

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